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Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to withdraw the above-identified application from issue under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) in order to permit consideration of an Amendment and a Request for Continued Examination filed in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.114. The Issue Fee was paid in this application on January 17, 2006, as evidenced by the enclosed date-stamped filing receipt. A Request for Continued Examination and an Amendment are being concurrently filed herewith. Favorable consideration of this petition is respectfully requested.

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The required fee of \$130.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card form and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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